



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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February 24, 2004

Betty Diana Arce, Treasurer
Committee to Re-Elect Nydia M. Velazquez
to Congress
315 Inspiration Lane
Gaithersburg, MD 20878

Response Due Date:
March 15, 2004

Identification Number: C00271312

Reference: October Quarterly Report (7/1/03 - 9/30/03)

Dear Ms. Arce:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A of your report discloses one or more contributions that appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act (see attached). You should examine all of your contributions to check for additional excessive contributions. The Committee's procedures for processing contributions should also be reviewed.

A qualified multi-candidate committee and all affiliated committees may not make a contribution(s) to a candidate for federal office in excess of \$5,000 per election. The term "contribution" includes any gift, subscription, loan, advance, or deposit of money or anything of value made by any person for the purpose of influencing any election for federal office. (2 U.S.C. §441a(a) and (f); 11 CFR §110.1(b), (e) and (k))

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information. If any contribution you received exceeds the limits, you may have to refund the excessive amount.